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GAIN COMPENSATION

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Extension of Time Statement

The Commissioner is hereby requested and authorized pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a)(3), to treat any concurrent or future reply in this application requiring a petition for extension of time for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time. Please charge any additional fees which may now or in the future be required in this application, including extension of time fees, but excluding the issue fee unless explicitly requested to do so, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-4019.

RESPONSE

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of 10/20/2006, please amend this application as follows.

IN THE TITLE

Please amend the title to read -GAIN COMPENSATION BASED ON A FIRST GAIN FACTOR AND A SECOND GAIN FACTOR WITH TIME-VARYING COMPENSATION ---.